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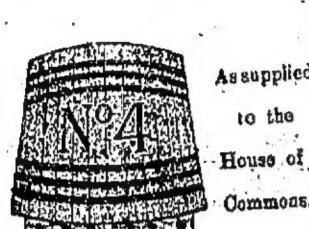
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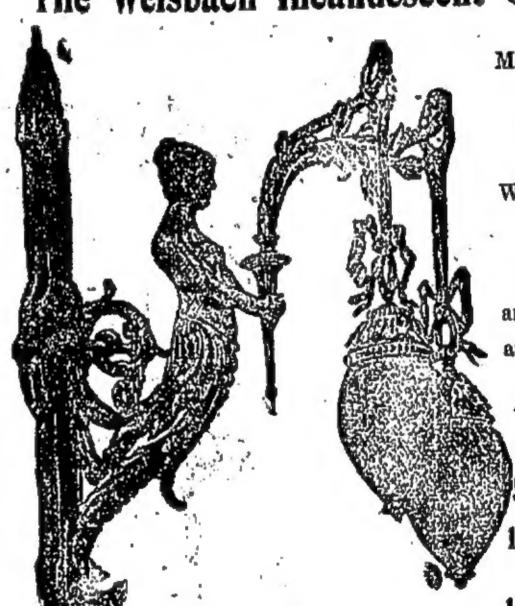
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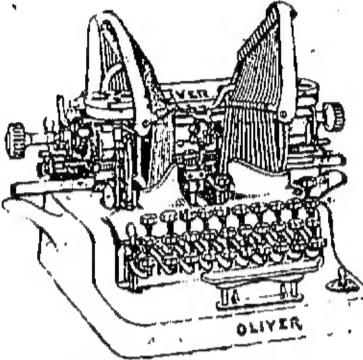
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A.M. on MONDAY, 2nd March, to receive TYPEWRITERS a Statement of the Company's Accounts to Stat December, 1907, and the Report of the General Managers.

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MEETING of Shareholders in the Company will be held at the Company's OFFICES, No. 3, Queen's Road Central, Victoria, on TBURSDAY, the 5th March, 1908, at 12 o'clock Noon, for the purpose of Receiving a Statement of Accounts and the Report of the Directors for the year ending 31st December, 1907. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Com-pany will be CLOSED from 20th instant

By Order, GEO. L. TOMLIN, Hopgkong, February 13, 1908.

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THE THIRTY-NINTH ORDINARY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Offices of the Undersigned, at 12.30 P.M., on TUESDAY, the The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Comsany will be CLOSED from the 25th inst.

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had. But it was also pointed out by other Horoscope. representatives that ships' teams had so few opportunities for practice, that it was Future. only fair that company teams should be pitted against them. Also, it seemed essential and desirable in every way that football should be participated in by as many players as possible. Eventually, opposition was withdrawn and playing by companies was approved. Seventeen teams entered for that Cup and the success of the move ment was so great, that in the following season the public were invited to subscribe to a permanent trophy. The amount necessary was easily raised and the Shield

Competition proper commenced. The following table shows its progress:-No. of Teams. Winner. Entered. H.M.S. Centurion G Co., R.L.R. Hongkong F.C. G Co., R W.F. 1899 - 1900Siege-train A Co., R.W.F.

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Royal Artillery The Shield Committee for the competition new going on (1908) determined t revert to the original rules as in force from 1898 to 1903. It will be seen from the above table that during this period company teams had done well. The change of rules in 1903 was a departure from the original idea of the competition, namely, to spread football over as many players as possible. The Shield Committee in 1903 saw that ships' teams were showing such improvement, that they acceded to the THE THIRTY-NINTH ORDINARY request of some representatives and permitted a Regimental team. However the competition was not improved. - As far as Regimental teams have been concerned play has been no better than (competent critics say distinctly inferior to) the form previously exhibited by company teams. In addition, as ships on the station became less numerous, there

> the small number of entries. Although reversal to the original rule soum at first a little hard to the British Regiments, the Royal Artillery, and the Royal Engineers, the facts given above seem to justify the Shield Committee's action. Moreover, as the Regiments decid ed to abide by the rules, and entered sever al teams, the members of these company teams have probably had much more football than they would have been likely to have had with but one team entered from a Regiment.

seemed a possibility of the com-

petition coming to an end on account of

We ("N. C. D. News") regret to record the death, at 42 Woosung Road, on Fob. 263 | 15 of Captain Willian Peter Johnston, Inte Master in the China Merchant's Steam Navigation Company. Captain Johnston who was 68 years of age, was a native of THE THIRD ORDINARY GENERAL Sweden. When he first came to Shapghai MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS he was employed as tell keeper at the bridge crossing the Soochow Crock. Later he was in the Service of the Shaughai rising to the position of Yangtze pilot for the company and afterwards to Captain on 279 the Shangai-Hankow line. Captain Johnston retired about a year ago. The funeral took place at Bubbing Well Cometery and was attended by a large number of friends and Masonic brethren.

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Shareholders are requested to apply to the Office of the Company for Warrants. By Order of the Board of Directors. W. E. CLARKE,

Secretary. Hougkong, February 25, 1908. HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK

COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS

THE DIVIDEND of 8% per Share for U.B. M.P. And an article in reply to the six months ending 31st December. 1907, declared at Monday's Ordinary Yearly Meeting, will be payable at the premises of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporntion, on and after TUESDAY, the 25th February, and Shareholders are requested to apply for DIVIDEND WAR-RANTS at the Company's Office, Queen's KELLY & WALSH LD., CHATER RD. Building, New Penya. By Order of the Board of Directors,

THOS. I. ROSE. Secretary. Hougkong, February 24, 1908.

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2.39 P.M., at his Residence, No. 5, See, three Jundred cash in my pocket, I've got; Tis exactly the sum that will buy

A capacity for-wine seems always to have been as highly esteemed in China as with us in the eighteenth and nineteenth centuries. In fact, one emperor declared it was just as essential to the success of a banquet as a capacity for verse. The mythical emperors are usually said to have been able to swallow prodigious quantities, but as these quantities are always measured in cups or goblets; we are unable to form any reliable estimate of their powers. A late emperor, who asked the elder of two brothers how he compared with the younger, received the following answer. 'As a thinker, he beats me; as a drinker, t beat him."

Another official, named Li Tu, who regularly took too much, was urged by his friends to give up drink. . "I take it for my health," he replied; "I cannot do without it, and I find this a pleasurable way of spending my declining years." To his son he once said, in a play upon words which cannot be reproduced: Water is an excellent thing -in a landscape; but can die drunk I shall die happy." In like manuer argues Yuan Hao-wen of the Nu-chen Tartar dynasty: "If a man does not drink wine, how is he to cure his various complaints?"

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A telegram from Mukden reports that a severe fight has taken place between the Government troops, under Colonel Chang, and a large number of Hunghutz bandits at Talienhu, near the frontier of the two provinces of Kirin and Heilungkiang. More than fifty bandits are reported to have been killed and captured in the

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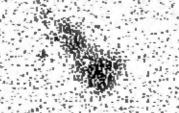
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a keen interest in the matter that

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HORGKORG, WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 1908.

SUPREME COURT VACATION.

THE correspondence laid before members of the Chamber of Commerce on Monday in regard to the Supreme Court, a summary of which we published yester day, is interesting and instructive. The student of human nature will lind much to amuse him. In the first place we must admit, while we are more strongly this letter a cryptic reference to convinced than ever that an extended vacation is absolutely unnecessary, that with which we have no immediate we were wrong in supposing that the concern. But we are concerned to know local Law Society would have the ROBERT PORTER & CO.'S courage to express in public the opinions intervened when the Chamber of Comwhich the majority of its members profess in private. Those who come merce was obeying the command of His worst out of the whole business are the Excellency the Governor and before the Tong Shao Yi, Governor of Mukden, proseveral members of the profession" report for which the Governor had asked who " personally approached the Com- had been furnished. The fact that such mittee" (of the Chamber of Commerce) intervention was made on Feb. 8. jurisdiction will be laid before the Emperor. A L I and the "eight solicitors' firms represent- renders the protest of Feb. 19 ineffective ing half the firms in Hongkong." These By the reference to the "willing horse" legal gentlemen representing obviously. His Honour was apparently aiding the more than half of the solicitors' firms in Chamber to "collect evidence" in regard Hongkong, deliberately asked the to the vacation-which he declared, on Feb. 19, was not their business. pinion to the proposed extension. regard to the alleged innuendo we They gave their reasons. The vacation | entirely concur in the Chamber's belief was " not needed" and " is harmful.' [that there was no innuendo in its minute] wholesome, and When there was no vacation there was to the Governor. That minute was "no complaint." Judges in England based on actual facts communicated to "do not get one year's leave in every the Chamber when doing the duty three or four" and during the sittings entrusted to it. That the solicitors "are infinitely harder worked than the should suddenly est their words could Judges here." Thus the solicitors of not have been foreseen by the Chamber Hongkong, or the representatives of the and when it was made public that an majority of them, on Feb. 10. But on extraordinary performance of the kind Feb. 22, twelve days later, these same had been accomplished it very properly

gentlemen find that a vacation which on forbore from taking any further part in

harmful" should be agreed to for and given in its. report. We

his extruordinary feat of tergiversatinot that the Chief Justice would have JAPAN IN MANCHURIA was performed because the solicitors been better advised to have left the were unaware of the fact that the personal aspect of the matter alone. matter had already been referred to and The position is now that the Bench, the discussed by the Committee of the Law Bar, and, for the present moment-Society who ... had practically would obviously be dangerous agreed to the extension of the vacation prognosticate what view they will take Railway; that is to say, will it take from upon certain terms," This was lament- to-morrow—the solicitors are satisfied able ignorance upon their part because I that their convenience will be served by nearly every well-informed layman in the an extended vacation. Only one section Colony knew before Feb. 10 that the of the community has been overlooked Committee of the Law Society and given -the litigants. But fortunately, the without present outlet and separated from several months before the Senate sitting. its agreement to the proposal. If the Chamber of Commerce has left no room solicitors who have manifested such a for doubt on the question whether the singular lack of knowledge in regard to public interest will be served. It those Tokyo journalists, Japanese and for years and for other acts of disthe matters which concern themselves declares emphatically that it will not nearly, turn up our issue of Dec. 21,1907, and we thoroughly endorse they will see that we then stated that statement. The public wants to see the petition," by "banding over" the Heinthere was a movement on foot to extend legal wheels go round more quickly. the daw vacation. On Dec. 23 we pub. If the Government grants the extended paramount in China. We renour rather in lished a leading article pointing out that vacation it must provide for an extended vacation would be against appointment of a third Judge. In any the public interest and once more em- levent such an appointment is necessary phasising the necessity of appointing a but if this vacation which on Feb. third judge. Thus it is evident that was "not wanted" and "harmful" the fact that an extension of the vaca- approved, there can be no avoiding it. tion was being moved for was public The decision of the Governor will be knowledge over two months ago. This awaited with anxiety. We venture to There remains the British point of view, Noon—Meeting of The Hongkong Milling makes it still more remarkable that the believe that the project of extending the solicitors whose views have veered vacation will not be successful in spite object of the Anglo-Japanese alliance round with such startling suddenness of the change of attitude on the part of Fire Insurance Co., Ld., at Mesers should have remained in ignorance of the solicitors. what their Committee was doing until LOCAL AND GENERAL. some time after Feb. 10. But the fact remains that the solicitors of Hongkong are apparently satisfied that, because Callao on February 21. their Committee "practically agreed" to something, this effectually disposes of the weighty arguments they themselves | per s.s. "Devaula" for Colombo, on inspection duty... brought against it. No further comment on this phase of the matter is

The United States fleet was due

Lieutenant A. Gott, Inspector of Army Schools, left the Command on 22nd instant

necessary. It will be remarked that His that Chang Ming Chi, Governor of Kwangsi, is recalled, and that Wong Chi Chun is Excellency the Governor on Dec. 17 appointed in his stead.

There were 398 European and 161 whether an extension of the vacation "will be detrimental to the commercial and 203 European and 4,450 Clinese visitors to the Museum during the weel interests of the Colony," The Chamended the 23rd February.

> A cablegram from Peking to the direction, and we are confident that the "Chinese Mail" dated February 24 states that Wong Chung Kwong has been appointed Councellor to the Imperial Rail. of the Alliance—the integrity of Chian.

he should reconsider his position in re-Emperor Kwonghsu, of China, is indisposed, and the Imperial medical adviser gard to the Law Society and the vaca-Luk Yun Yang, is in attendance, says a tion. This letter does not seem to be Peking telegram to the "Chinese Mail" under date of February 24. in reply to another but was apparently

A Japanese telegram from Harbii states that Russian articles continue pass through Suifunho free of duty, spite of the recent announcement that Customs stations had been opened in and asked for. It is, by the way, North Manchuria.

The battleship "Mikasa," which had been detained at the quarantine station near Sasobo on account of the presence of solicitor at least did know what the dysentery among her crew, was discharge Committee of the Law Society had on Feb. 7th. Her repairs are expected to be completed before the end of March.

> It is reported in official circles that General Wang Yin-kai is about to be appointed to take command of the 1st, 2nd Federation. 3rd and 4th divisions of the Peiyang Army in succession to General Feng Shan, who will be appointed to reorganize the Mongo

At the request of the Russian Minister, the Waiwupu has informed-the authorities of the Liangkiang provinces that a Russian military official will proceed to Kiangnan (Liangkiang) to study reforms concerning police, education and military and nava

A "Chinese Mail's" special cablegram from Peking, dated February 24, says that ceeds to Peking in the second moon for an audience with the Throne. A report on the administration of the city under hi The Compradore of the Hongkong and

Shanghai Bank writes us to correct, and

we gladly do so, the Police Court report

that the gamblers arrested and fined were

shroffs. The guilty ones were "boys"

of the Bank, the shroffe living in Stanley Street and having nothing to do with the Li Oi, Li Wan and Chung Tam, of different addresses, were charged at the Magistracy this morning with being unlawful possession of prepared opium—six tacls five mace prepared; eight tacls dress and four taels opium water respectively.

The cases were remanded to 28th instant

bail for the three defendants amounting to

\$1,100 being allowed. A long account appears in the "Japan Gazette" of the wedding which took place at Christ Church, Yokohama, ou Feb. 15, absent. between Miss Kathleen Elizabeth Hall second daughter of Mr John Carey Hall, British Consul-General of Japan, and Mr Feb. 10 was "not needed "and "is the discussion. It had done its duty Oswald White, formerly of the British Embassy, Tokyo, son of Mr James White, reasons" fully adequate." We read that inclined to think, with all respect, of Brighton, England.

For practical purposes, say the "N.C.D. News" in a leading article, and ignoring the strategical aspects of the case, the immediate question appears to be, will the Hainmintun-Fakumen line injuriously affect truffic on the South Manchurian that Railway freight which it now handles? The difficulty of proving a negative statement is recognized by logicians, but all the weight of evidence is in favour of the Chinese contention, namely, that the new line will tap a populous and fertile country the Manchurian system by a natural boundary, the Lino River. We are unable to sympathize with the views British, who anaintain that Japan has stready erred on the side of benevolence, "subjecting herself to severe Chinese commintun-Mukden line, for Chinese, not Japanese, interests are still theoretically the the view that the large existing cart traffile between Fakumen and Hsimmiutun is entitled to railway facilities and that these may legitimately be provided without detriment 10 to the Manchurian Railway. The Japanese claim, on the other hand, would appear to condemn the people of that region either to convey themselves and their goods by cart in perpetuity or until such time as railways are built for them by Japan; no Convention between China and Japan can override the central fact that the first was the open door. On the other hand, feelings of friendship and loyalty to our too strong an attitude with regard to Ally must lend us to recognize s rategical necessities of the situation. the case of the Tatsu Maru II. That recognition would be spontaneous, had not these necessities frequently been used, since the "evacuation," as leverage stated that there is no necessity to create for a policy of commercial exclusiveness, which has created general uneasiness. Nor trouble if the case can be settled nust it be forgotten that the Imperial Railways of North China are an undertak- amicably. The Vicercy was instructed ing with which British capital and engineer-ing are closely identified; it is no new field, to communicate all evidence for the inhut a very legitimate object, for our activities, a fact on which the British Go-formation of the Japanese Consul at vernment laid no small stress when A telegram to our native edition states Russin (on political grounds) opposed the extension to Heinminton in 1899, and inter, during the Boxer troubles, when our vested interests saved the line for the Chinese. We are, therefore, beset with conflicting sympathies. Hostile criticism of our Allies were an un tritoful task; There were 398 European and 161 equally unpleasant the necessity for acquie-Chinese visitors to the City Hall Library, scence in political ambitions which once accepted, must inevitably lead to partition of the Chinese Empire. We trust that the policy of equal opportunities will yet be maintained: The true interests of Japan, as well as of Great Britain, all lie in this

> THE HARDINGE. Departure of the Baluchia.

Government at Takyo realizes that Japan

The transport Hardinge leaves here on March 4 at noon with the 129th Baluel is She calls at Singapore for coal, and goes to Colombo where the No 1 Co. H.K.S. B.R.G.A., disembarks. She is due there on March 13. On the 18th March she leaves for Karachi, where the 129th Baluchis disembark.

ODD VOLUME'S SOCIETY

Yesterday evening Mr. E. D. Haskell read a paper on "A defence of the House orders. of Lords," at the City Hall, under the auspices of the Odd Volumes Society.. The chair was taken by Sir Henry Berkeley. Mr Haskell condemned the policy of the present Government, and regarded the House of Lords as being the fitting Senate of the Empire in the coming time of Imperial

Another murder at amoy.

(From Our Correspondent)

Anov. Feb. 24. On Friday morning, two mon began quarrelling in front of the Customs House. One man was from Tong-an and the other was an Amoy man. After going at it as Chinamen delight to do, for some time, the Tong-an man took up a revolver and emptied three barrels ein to the other fellow, killing him on the spot.

He at once bolted up country, while the relations of the murdered man at once organised a chase, and chartered two launches, and followed hard after. happened up there is not known, but it cannot have been a pleasant business. The majority of these up-country boatmen seem to carry firearms, and do not scruple

An official dinner is to be given at

Government House this evening by their

Excellencies Sir Frederick and Lady Lugard. Those who have accepted invitations are Dr. Koch, Mr Lewis Rees, Mr from South Africa a regiment of cavalry J. H. Kemp, Mr and Mrs Tooker, Mr W. H. and Mrs Williams, Major and Mrs. Macdonald, Major and Mrs Hatch, Mr G. Friesland, Mr and Mrs A. J. David, Mr and Mrs Andrew Forbes, Mr and Mrs Craddock, Mr and Mrs Graham, Mr and Mrs Montagu Ede, Mr Murray Stewart the Hon. Mr. F. H. May, Miss Beattie. Roy, and Miss Stowart, Mr Beckwith, Dr. and Mrs Montagu Harston, Mr G. H. Medhurst, Mr and Mrs F. Maitland, Capt. whelming majority. and Mrs Charles Low. Mr and Mrs Figg. and Dr. and Mrs Bell, will be unavoidably

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via Bombay.) LONDON, February 25.

Signor Nasi, the Italian ex-Minister. whose trial has been proceeding for as a High Court, has been found guilty of improperly expending public funds honesty during his tenure of office. He was sentenced to imprisonment for eleven months and twenty days.

THE SEIZED STEAMER

Instructions from Peking.

China Weakening.

(Chinese Mail's Bervice.)

PEKING, February 25. The Chinese Foreign Office does not approve of the Canton Vicercy adopting;

In a telegram to the Viceroy it is?

Canton and settle the matter there.

THE CONFISCATION.

(From Our Correspondent.)

Canton, February 25. The following is a copy of telegramsexchanged between the Canton Viceroy and the Waiwupu relative to the seizure of the Tatsu Maru at the early stage of the case : Canton to the Waiwupu : "Japanese I Steamer with arms and ammunition which were being unloaded in Chinese Waters has has everything to gain and nothing to lose were being unloaded in Chinese Waters has by steadily maintaining the avowed object been seized. According to usual rule, the Customs duly notified the owners and a limit of two days was allowed in which representation might be made through the consul of the nation to which the vessel belongs. The time limit has expired, nothing was heard from the Japanese consul and the Customs have been duly

instructed to confiscate the vessel, From Waiwupu to Canton: If confiscation has been carried out in accordance with treaty regulations there is no necessity toinform the Japanese Minister.

Looking Out for Smugglers.

Fifty three stations have been established for the purpose of checking arms and ammunition running in South China. Thiswas done in compliance with the Viceroy's

[REUTER'S SERVICE.] CHINA AND JAPAN IN MANCHURIA.

London, February 24. Sir Edward Grey has made friendly representations to Japan in reference to the latter's opposition to the Kalumen

THE KING AND THE MILITIAL

LONDON, February 24. The King, in a message to the Army, takes the opportunity of the Militia undertaking new duties and responsibilities, to express his keen appreciation of, and thanks for, past services and sucrifices, and His Majesty is convinced that the force will continue in the same devotion to their duty, whatever calls may be made on them.

THE BRITISH ARMY ESTIMATES.

London, February 24. The British Army Estimates show net decreases of £301,000 and of 3,100 men. It has been decided to withdraw and four battalions of infantry.

FRANCE.

London, February 24. M. Junres again, interpellated on the Morocco question in the Chamber of Deputies, when a vote of confidence in the government was passed by an over-

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F. L. Fane, not out,... ...

Sundries

DR SUN YAT SEN.

Further Action.

(Chinese Mail's Service.)

The Waiwupu has again communica-

ted with the British Minister in regard

to the rebel leader, Dr Sun Yat Sen.

The Chinese Government still asks the

British Minister if communication might

be sent to the Governor of Singapore to

CHINA IMPROVES

(Chinese Mail's Service.)

Actions are being taken by the Board

coast defences. Instructions

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

or 'periods as might, from time to time, be

Ordinance should remain in force until its

1899 shall be and hereby is continued in

a further resolution of this Council.

force until its operation is determined by

The Hon. Attorney General will move

the third reading of the Bill entitled An

Ordinance to amend the Chinese Emigra-

will be held immediately after the Council.

UNSETTLED KWANGSL

Robbery and Violence.

(From Our Correspondent.)

the unsettled condition of the Kwangsi

Province. It is interesting to note how far

province when the supply is felt to be in-

sufficient to meet local requirements.

tion of law and order.

WUCHOW, February 21.

Empire to that effect have been sent.

PEKING, February 25.

DEFENCES.

deport Sun.

PERING, February 25.

. Hardstaff, not out,

H. Carter

J. V. Saunders...

Fine Exhibition of Batting. (From Our Special Correspondent.).

Synney, Feb. 25, 6 p.m. Shortly after the tea adjournment Trumper reached the century—the first he has scored this senson in test cricket -being warmly cheered by spectators.

Together with Hill he carried the total along rapidly, losing his partner after Hill had scored | ...

Trumper remained in until close upon time, being beaten he had 166 runs to his credit. The brilliance of his performance was generally admired and the young New South Wales batsman was accorded an enthusiastic ovation on his return to the pavilion.

W. Armstrong and V. Ransford batted out time, the former scoring 19 and the latter 4.

When stumps were drawn the Australians had scored 357; six wickets, being 213 runs ahead

TO-DAY'S PLAY.

Slow Cricket.

(From On Special Correspondent.) Stiers, February 26, 1.50 pm

During last night heavy rain fell and the wicket was notice ably affected.

Armstrong, whose score was 19 and Ransford with 4, were the not out men. After he had brought his total to 32 Armstrong was defeated and his and place was taken by Hartigan the Queenslander.

The new comer was not fated to add to his test match laurels as he was out after scoring five.

will be held on Thursday, at 2.30 p.m. Ransford played with extreme caution and was 15 not out at the following Resolution:—Whereas by Mrs Griffen 1; 6 Turnips, Mrs M. Slade 1, in shorthand. (Laughter.) She had the the luncheon adjournment.

The score was then 387 for eight wickets, the morning continue in operation for a period of two session having been productive of only 30 runs.

AUSTRALIANS ALL OUT.

Sypney, February 26., 4.15 P.M. operation is determined by a further The Australians' second ininngs came to a close shortly after the tiffen adjournment, The Summoning of Chinese Ordinance the last two wickets adding 35 runs.

Bansford kept his wicket intact while H. Cotter hit out and the latter scored 22 before tion Ordinance, 1889. he was beaten. Runsford scoring five only.

J. V. Saunders failed to score and the innings closed for 422, Ransford being 21, not out.

J. N. Crawford and W. Rhodes were the most successful of the English bowlers, the former taking 5 wickets for 141 runs and the latter 4 for 102.

England's Bad Start.

have constant references to the general The Englishmen commenced their second innings with 279 runs to get to win, the Notts professional (G. Gunn) opening of these reports. Nearly every country. Nicholson 1; 1 Hand bouquet in vase, A. his intention to be present. with J. B. Hobbs.

in the first innings was dismissed cities as large as Wuchow the highwayman cept Chinese Market Gardeners: Collection of vegetables (not less than 6 varieties). for a duck and Hobbs only is not infrequently met. scored 13

K. L. Hutchings was beaten after scoring 2, and at the tea adjournment the score stood at ing all their possessions to become the Chater 2; 2 Cabbages, Sin Ah Fai 1, Mrs 41 for 3 wickets.

F. L. Fane (22) and J. Hardstaff (3) were the not out batsmen.

The scores are :-

AUSTRALIA.

. Lital Turinga		
Second	d Innings	
M. A. Noble		3
J. O'Connor		
Gregory		5
McCartney		1:
Trumper,	កំណូ សំនៅក្នុងប៉ែង។ ប្រជាជាក្នុង ប្រជាជាក្នុង	16
Hill,	4	44

PARTNERSHIP QUESTION.

In the Supreme Court to-day an action was brought by Cheng Ying-cheung against Lau Fuk to recover \$917.50 due for money lent. Mr. G. E. Morrell (of Messrs. Goldring, Barlow and Morrell) appeared for the defendant.

was finished.

undertook the work together and the capital and defendant was to do the

THE HORTICULTURAL SHOW.

The annual horticultural show was opened at 2 p.m. to-day in the Botanical Gardens, and during the afternoon a large number of visitors was in attendance. The showing made was a really creditable being as follow:—

raised from seed the same season, E. M. Hazeland 1, H. E. Tomkus 2; 3 Pots of Flowering plants, other than annuals, Mrs. Pots of Dahlias, E. M. Hazeland 1; 3 Pots Her Excellency. of Verbenss, Mrs Turner 1, E. M. Hazeland 2; 3 pots Mignonette, Sin Ah Fai 1; 3 Gibbs 2; 3 pota Freesia, Mrs Ho Tung 1; 3 Pots of Narcissus Tazetta, tall, J. Barton 1, Mrs Ho Tung 2; 3 Pots of Heliotrope, E. M. Hazeland 1, Mrs Turner 2; 3 Pots of Ferns, distinct varieties, one exhibit only, disqualified; 3 Pots of Fan Palms; (Livistonia chinensis), Sin Ah Fai 1, Mrs Gibbs 2: 3 Pots of Palms other than Fan Palms, J. Barton 1, Mrs Gibbs 2; 3 Pots of

Group B: Cut Flowers-Peak Gardens only: 6 Bunches of cut flowers, distinct varieties, only one exhibit; 4 Bunches Nasturtium, distinct colours; Mrs Turner 1, E. M. Hazeland 2; 12 Pansies, Mrs of War for the improvement of inland Turner 1, Mrs H. E. Tomkins 2; 1 Bunch GROUP C: Vegetables &c. - Peak Gar-Viceroys and Governors throughout the dens only: Best collection of vegetables, not less than 6 varieties. (These must be

staged in a box not larger than 4 ft. x3 ft and 3 inches deep), Mrs Ho Tung; 2 Heads of Celery, E. M. Hazeland 1, Sin Ah Fai 2: 2 Cauliflowers, Mr Ho Tung 1. E. M. Hazeland 2; 2 Calibages, A meeting of the Legislative Council

enacted that the said Ordinance should only Slade 2. GROUP E: Plants in Pots-open to all years from the coming into operation of the 6 pots of Annuals or plants raised from said Ordinance and for such further period | seed the same season, Chou Leep Chee 1. Ho Kom Tong 2; 3 pots of Flowering

plants other than annuals, D. Dorabjee 1, He determined by resolution of the Legislative | Kom Tong 2; 3 ports of Fan Palms (Livistonia chinensis), D. Dorabjee 1. Ho Kom Palms, Miss Wallace 1, Hon. Mr Keswick 2, pots Roses, Sir Paul Chater 1, Mrs Brewin 2; 3 pots Freesis, Hon. Mr Keswick 1. Sir Paul Chater 2; 3 pots Geraniums, It is hereby resolved by this Council that Hon. Mr Keswick 1, Sir Paul Chater 2; 3 pots Camellias, Choa Leep Ches 1, Ho Kom Tong 2; 3 pots Dahlias, D. Dorabjee 1, Hon Mr Keswick 2; 3 pots Carnations and; o 3 pots Dianthus, other varieties excluding the speaker. Carnation and Picotee, H. W., Looker I, Mrs Jordan 2; 3 pots of Pansies, Choa Leep Chee 1, Mrs Ho Tung 2; 3 pots Violets, Mrs Ho Tung1, H. W. Looker 2; 3 pots Mignenette, H. W. Looker I, Sir Paul A meeting of the Finance Committee Chater 2; 8 pots Nasturtium (Tall varieties), Hon. Mr Keswick 1; Sir Paul Chator 2; 3 pots Nasturtium (dwarf varities), H. W. Looker 1, F. Howell 2; 3 pots Narcissus, Mrs Ho Tung 1, Choa Leep Chee 2; 3

pots Azalens Ho Kom Tong 1, D. Dorabjee 2; 3 pots Forms, excluding Maiden Hair Ferns, Ho Koni Tong 1. D. Dorabjee 2; 3 pots Chrysanthemum, Ho Kom Tong 1, D. Dorabjee 2; Park Range. 3 pots Primula, Chos Leep Chee-1; 3 pots Poony, Ho Kom Tong 1; 3 pots Aster, Recently I have been trying to make no prize; 3 pots Daphne, no exhibits; 3 some personal investigations with regard to pots Chinese Orchids, Mrs Ho Tung 1, Ho

all except Chinese Market gardeners. newspaper reports correspond with actual 6 Bunches of Cut Flowers (distinct), facts. All journals and newspapers which Choa Leep Chee 1, D. Dorabjee 2; 6 deal at all with the affairs of South China Roses, Mr Wakeman 1, A. Nicholson 12 Carnations, and/or Picotees, H. Locker 1. Mrs Jordan 2; 12 Pansies, Sir unrest in the province. Personal enquiries Paul Chater 1, Choa Leep Chec 2; 4 from all classes of Chinese elicit informa. Button hole bouquets, 2 Ladies' and 2 tion which only too strongly confirms most Gentlemen's, in glasses or vases. A. Ni- His Excellency the Governor has signified wayside assault. No road is considered 15 years of age, Misses Iris and Dione Gunn, who scored 122 not out free from danger No journey is made by May 1. Miss Kathleen Craddock 2. water without fear of pirates. Even near Group G: Vegetables-Open to all ex-

> Judging from most statements the up. These must be staged in a box not larger. country villages are far from desirable than 4 ft. x 3 ft. x 3 inches deep, H. W places of residence. It is not an uncom- Looker 1, Sir Paul Chater and Ho mon thing to hear that all the inhabitants Kom Tong equal; 2 Heads of Celery, of some small village or hamlet have been Sir Paul Chater 1, Mrs A. Rodger 2 forced suddenly to fly for their lives, leav- 2 Cauliflowers, D. Dorabjee 1, Sir Paul prey of some marauding band of robbers.
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> All efforts by the authorities to repress
> robbery and violence meet with apparently
>
> Marrows D. Dorabjee 1, P. W. Goldring 2; little success. We hear of most stringent & Beets, He Kom Tong 1. Sergeant Kerr 2; F' Co., 3rd Mid. 16 14 1 1 51 11 29 measures being adopted but with little 6Carrots, Sir Paul Chater 1; H.W. Looker 2; 'A' Co., 3rd Mid. 17 10 2 5 37 19 22 beneficial result. Captured bandits are 6 Turnips, Hon. Mr Keswick 1, D. 88 Co., R.G.A.... 16 11 - 5 31 25 made to suffer all the rigors of the Chinese Dorabjee 2; 12 Onions, no entries; 12 'G' Co., 3rd Mid. 14 10 1 3 28 10 law. Those who are caught, yet who show Tomatoes, H. W. Looker 1, Sir Paul 87 Co., R.G.A ... 14 7 - 7 27 23 any unwillingness to confess, are subjected Chater 2; 12 Potatoes, Ho Kom Tong 1, 40 Co., R.E...... 15 6 - 9 38 28 to the most terrible torture, almost inhu- D. Dorabjee 2; 25 Radishes, H. W. 83 Co., R.G.A....17 6 -11 16 41

There seems to be a general feeling 2; 25 pods of Peas, D. Dorabjee 1, Mrs A. 25 Co., R.E......16 3 1 12 .10 40 among the people that this unnatural state Rodger 2; 25 French Beans, Sir Paul of affairs is largely due to the high price of | Chater 1, H. W. Looker 2. rice. Great resentment is felt because so GROUP H: Vogetables-Open to Chinese much rice has been exported from the Market Gardeners only; no entries: GROUP K: General Exhibits-Open to

all : Best group of Flowering and Foliage We understand that His Excellency plants, not exceeding 40 pots, Space Chang Jen Chun is about to visit Kwangsi | finited to 12 feet by 10 feet; Mrs Ho Tung with a view to making a tour of inspection. 1. Hon. Mr Keswick 2, Ho Kom Tong 3; Colin, Cholera and Distribute Red vdy We kope that his visit will result in the One Stump or Rockwork, Ho Kom Tong followed by castor oil as directed with each apoedy alteration of this deplorable condi- 1, Mrs Ho Tung 2; Two Figure Plants bottle of the remedy. For sale by all Kwong Soy Un 1, Mr Ho Tung 2.

. ARMS RUNNING. Further Precautions.

(From Our Correspondent.) CANTON; February 24. Following the despatch of a Chinese Plaintiff swore he introduced the defen- flotilla to patrol the coasts in South China dant to the manager of the Dairy Farm Co., in order to stop arms and ammunition

and as a result the defendant obtained a cunning which was reported yesterday, the contract to build some cowsheds. Plaintiff Chinese authorities have established advanced the defendant monies from time private agency in Macao from which place to time, and was now claiming repayment. it is stated that information has been Cross-examined plaintiff said he was not received that the illegal frade has been a partner in the Tai Tseng shop. Lau extensively carried on by the Chinese Fuk premised to give him \$10 a month, dealers. The question of arms and amand "something good" when the work munition smuggling will be clearly defined by the Chinese authorities, and negotia-Defoudant said the \$10 a month re- tions with the Macao Government wil take place shortly in order to render th running of arms into the interior an im possibility, in the same way as the trade was prohibited in Hongkong.

LADY LUGARD'S EXPERIENCE WITH SHORTHAND.

the many accomplishments of Lady Lugard, Tthrown from behind. covered in with a large matshed, beneath and write them well-and most of as know ! concluded in the foremon, the results knowledge and enjoyment, despite her arduous social duties. What most of us GROVE A:-Plants in Pots-Peak did not know is that her Ladyship had Gardens only-6 Pots of Annuals or plants once tackled shorthand, and those who have hazarded the task whether they have come a cropper over the significance of long and his pocket when he left the Hotel, and Van Buren 1, Ho Kom Tong 2; 3 Pots of short vowels, dipthongs, abbreviations, and also wore a silver watch. Geraniums, Mrs Turner 1, Mrs Gibbs 2; 3 so on, or not, will readily sympathise with

Lady Lugard made the confession at St. pots Nasturtium, E. M. Hazeland 1, Mrs Joseph's College yesterday when she prosouted the certificates to the students who had succeeded in the examination set by the Pitman's Shorthand Committee. She told those present that she took a special interest and sympathy in shorthand because she had struggled through the beginning of it herself, and Marigolds, Mrs Ho Tung 1, Mrs Gibbs 2; knew what a lot of difficulty and what industry and patience were necessary in order to get anywhere past that sixty word mark which she had never passed. It was a long time since she had learned it, and she hoped that the boys would put their knowledge of shorthand to a better use than she had done. All she had done with hers was to utilise it a little for notes and for household receipts. The other day, having entered into a struggle with a Chinese- washerman on the subject of the pre-Fai 1, E. M. Hazeland 2; per washing of white flammel, she hunted 2 Lettuces, E. M. Hazeland 1; 6 Beets, E. up an old receipt which she had preserved M. Hazeland 1; Mrs M. Slade 2; 6 Carrots, and to her horror found that it was written section 5 of the Summening of Chinese Tomatoes, Mrs Ho Tung 1; E. M. Haze- greatest difficulty in reading it. At last Ordinance 1899 (No. 12 of 1899) it was land 2; 25 Radishes, E. M. Hazeland 1; she deciphered something about putting something into cold water, but what that something was she had the greatest diffi- | \$82 and there are further buyers. culty in discovering, She looked and looked and ultimately found out that it was sassoline written without the vowel point. Those, who do not know anything of the mysteries of shortland will be in And whereas it is desirable that the said Tong 2; 3 pots Palms other than Fan terested to learn that simpler words than sassoline have often baffled even expert stenographers and public speakers particular have often a grudge against the dealers, large sums being involved. reporters who occasionally make an outline for one word do-duty for another, with results disastrous to the sense, of the Picotees, H. W. Looker 1, Sir Paul Chater 2; speech and the good name and fame o

SPORTING.

Rifle Shooting.

VOLUNTEER RESERVE ASSOCIATION. Shooting dates for March, 1908; Governor's Cup, Chater Cup and May Cups. Saturday, 29th Feb. 2 to 5.30 and Sun-

yards Peak Range. Berkeley Cup. -- Saturday, 21st Mar.

600 yards King's Park Range. Pool.-There will be a Poel Competition on each of the above dates: The Annual General Meeting of the important.

Association will be held on Friday, the 27th March, at 5.30 p.m., at the City Hall.

> Football. GARRISON LEAGUE.

RESULTS LAST WEEK. "H" Co. 3rd Mx., 0; "F" Co. 3rd Mx. 40th Co. R.E., D; Departmental, "G" Co. 3rd Mx., 3; 25th Co. R.E., " A" Co. 3rd Mx., 0; 40th Co. R.E., 2. LEAGUE TABLE To 22-2-08.

man in character, at any rate, so it appears Looker 1, Ho Kom Tong 2; 25 Brussels Departmental..... 14 4 1 0 14 37 Sprouts, P. W. Goldring 1, H. W. Looker 'H' Co., 3rd Mid. 16 3 2 11 11 38

> DO NOT NEGLECT THE CHILD EN T this season of the year the first un-A "natural looseness of a child's bowels should have immediate attention. The thing that can be given is Chamberlain's chemists and storekeepers.

THE AMOY TRAGEDY. A Customs Man Killed.

(From Our Correspondent.)

AMOY, February 24. On Monday the 17th, inst., Russell came in here from Dodd Island, bringing with him a sick man, who is being attended to at the Amoy Hospital, Russell put up at the New Amoy Hotel. On Tuesday evening, he went out at 8 p.m. He returned to the Hotel about 12, and there is no doubt about it was very much the worse for liquor. Finding he could not sleep, he came down-stairs, and said he was going out again. All his movements from this point are more or less uncertain. was found early on Wednesday morning on the verandsh of a Japanese house, with only his trousers on, and a blanket wrapt ound his head.

At the inquest, the doctors gave the opinion that the bruise at the back of his head, was not caused by any sharp instrument, but appeared to have been got Most residents are niware by this time of bruise may have been inflicted by a stone,

splendid specimens. The first terrace was dured hardships, that she can write books- | the Municipal Council Gaola A sampan man, and another, have so far eluded the hibits were displayed. The judging was language and other subjects that make for they are being vigorously hunted, and they will no doubt speedily be arrested. So far, the clothes belonging to the man

have not been found. The motive of crime, if crime there be, ing offers, the first call on his sorvi seems to be money. Russell had \$21 in

The burial took place on Thursday afternoon in the Cametery, when Rev. J. MacGowan read the service. About 20 horses and method of schooling them at persons were present.

been 41 months in the Customs. He was born in Glasgow, but had spont most of his life in Australia.

COMMERCIAL.

ON THE RIALTO: Banks are offering at 8700 with small

Unions-Business has been done in large lines at \$850, and further buyers.

Steamboats are offering at 281, ex the dividend of \$1.25 paid yestorday. Sugars have buyers, at \$114 cash and

equivalent rates forward, being a rise of \$1 por share since yesterday. Wharves-Buyers at \$555 for old and 531 for new. We understand the Directors

have decided, subject to audit, to pay a dividend of \$2 per share on the old. West Points have buyers at 848, and can probably be placed at \$40, sellers being unwilling to part at anything under \$50. Humphreys have found buyers at \$1015%

China Borneos have been done at \$11, closing with sellers at the same. William Powell's have buyers at \$5.

with sellers in the north.

There have recently been a number of in failures in Osaka among iron and cotton

of the "Asahi" the Yokohama Specie visitors were without J. H. Smith, their Bank, the only Japanese banking concern in Manchuria, largely increased its business during the last half-year.

During the ten days from the 11th of the first moon to the 20th, the number of passengers carried by the Cunton-Hankow Railway is estimated at 31,803, while the amount of fares collected is \$3,311.81.

The Central Government has received memorial from Viceroy Hsu Shih-chang, day, 1st Mar. 10 to 12:30, 500 yards King's of the Three Eastern Provinces of Manchuria, complaining of the lack of funds to professional Rugby football. Douglas Cup.-Saturday, 7th Mar. 2 to carry out the reforms ordered by Imperial 5.30 and Sunday, 8th Mar. 10 to 12.30, 800 command. His Excellency, therefore, recommends that permission to increase the salt likin of his Viceroyalty should to to 5.30 and Sunday, 22nd Mar. 10 to 12.30, granted. It is reported that the Central Government will probably advise the Throne to consent to the Viceroy's request, as the reorganization of the international administration of these provinces is very

CORRESPONDENCE.

SUPREME COURT VACATION.

(To the Editor of the CHINA MAIL.)

adopted in our Court delays are inevitable. leaders of the Bar, without whose assist tance clients are unwilling to proceed to work is like will admit to be necessary to their continued officiency.

vacation would in no way, in my humble experienced defeat at Middlesbrough (3-1). opinion, be injurious to public interest. From 1873 to 1882 the legal vacation Insted for two months, August till September, but at present if one of the leaders of TIHE manufacturers of Chamberlain's the har chooses to go away he can practically create a vacation at any time. If the the most remote corners of the world vacation be extended to two months it will in praise of this well known medicine. be on the understanding that the Bar will Parents in Australia, India and Samoa confine its holidays within the limits of the give it to their babies for colds and croup, vacations-Yours etc.

This seems to be an argument in favour suthusiastic in their praise of its merit. of an addition to the Bar. - Eo. C.M]

(Our Special Letter.) LONDON, January 3.

THE TRUE.

From news to hand from America, it

evident that the trainer and first jockey

Mr J. R. Keene reaped a good harve through the wonderful success of the gentleman's horse during 1907. James Rowe, the trainer, received 10 per cent, of the winnings (£80.513) his share therefore being just over \$8,050, or 40,250 gold. This was not all, for his retaining and other fees have to be considered. The figures are instructing, because it is often said our trainers are badly paid in comparison to the jockey. This is certainly true and hardly seems right that the rider of the horse should reap a bigger reward tha the man who has had all the trouble and worry of sending them to the post i winning condition. Mr Keene's Jockey, W. Miller, also had a percentage of the winnings, which amounted to £2,500, and he also had a retainer. Some of our crack from having bumped up against something jockeys are believed to have carned some. Constantine, jealous of the fame of his hard. There is, however, an idea that the thing in the neighbourhood of £10,000 distinguished countryman, Signor Caruso, during special seasons and such figures probably make many a lad think that to and of the strenuous efforts she is constantly Two coolies, one belon ing to Dr. Mac. Isecome a jockey must be a short cut t one, particularly with respect to vegetables, putting forth to gain others. We all know Dougall, and the other to the British wealth. There is of course, the other side of which there were many varieties and that her Ladyship has travelled and on- Consul have been cought, and confined in of the picture and only a few can reach the top, and often then only after many disappointments. At the present which were long tables on which the ex- that she is now grappling with the Chinese police, and have escaped to Amoy, where time we have the example of W. Higgs, who waited so long to rise above stable land rank that he was on the point of giving up the game, when Mr J. C. Sullivan gave him his chance. Higgs has never forgotten this and, in spite of many tempt belongs to Mr Sullivan.

ENCITABLE HORSES.

One of Australia's best trainers recent had a few words to say about excitable the starting gate, which are very interest-Russell was only 27 years of age, and had ing. He claims that by leading horses under the gate a few times and by allowing the animals to feel the tapes with their noses, will go a long way towards making them lose fear of the barrier. Naturally it is the strangeness of the "gate" which worries some mimals and in the majority of cases proper schooling would lead to better behaviour at the post.

We saw some Grand National horses out in the Park Steeple Chase at the recent Hurst Park Meeting. The field only numbered four-Ascetic's Silver, Timothy Titus, Ranunculus, and Do Be Quick, and they all shouldered 11st. 9lbs. which made it quite a championship. The first three have all shown form over the Grand National country, the first, of course, having won the blue ribbon. All three had to put up with defeat, however, as Mr C. R. Hodson's mare carried off the honours. Ascetic's Silver and Ranunculus are far from fit, but Timothy Titus appeared all right and started equal favourite with the winner, so that Mr Hodson's candidate must be distinctly good. It may be added that big fields have been the order at the holiday fixtures and, in spite of a cutting easterly gale, the China Providents have been done at attendance at Hurst Park and Manchester was decidedly good.

The New Zealanders played their first Shanghai Docks have declined to Tls. 80 International fixture on New Year's day when they met the Welsh team at Aberdare. Fully 12,000 spectators witnessed the match, which the visitors looked like winning until just before time, when, D Jones, one of the forwards, got over for a According to the Mukden correspondent 9 points to 8. It may be added that the famous three-quarter, and others have also suffered from injuries lately. Still the Welsh Northern Union team cannot be compared to the pick of the Welsh Rugby Union world, which points to our visitors being well below the strength of the original All Blacks. The New Zealanders will soon finish their club matches and the 23 games played have resulted in just on NO £10,000 gate money, so that from what can be seen at present each player will receive £250 to £300, as his share of the tour. This does not compare with the choques bandled by the Australian (amateur) cricketers after touring here,

> ANOTHER INTERNATIONAL. The third International between France ber and is entitled to exchange and England under Rugby Rules was play- same for any other novel on ed on New Year's Day, Paris being the venue. There has been a lot of trouble payment of 20 cents cash, Hongand at the eleventh hour, two of the Bor- kong currency, for every change. about the constitution of the French team delais Club players cried off. Under the circumstances the Frenchmen did very well and were not so inferior as the score, 19 points to 0, would indicate. It is evident CASH our neighbours are improving as in the two previous games England won by 35 points to 8, and 41 points to 13.

but it is quite enough to give a fillip to

morning contemporary has incorporated. The result of the New Year holiday my letter to you in a leading article. If the matches has been to still further improve practice in force at home were to be followed out here, upon a case falling through, through the death of a witness the Court would at once proceed with the next case on the list. Until come such practice is Chief interest centres in the bettom clubs. Chief interest centres in the bettom clubs With reference to your "portinent and at the moment there is so little in it query "I consider that we do require a among about half a dozen that there is no longer -vacation in order to enable the saying which are likely to be the unfort-(0-0) on visiting Aston Villa, while Woolwith Arsonal gained a 4-goals-to-0 every one who knows what a barristor's victory over Sunderland last Saturday, which pleased Southerners. There was a different tale to tell on New Year's Day, however, as in the return match between business of the Court could be disposed of Sunderland and the Arsenal, the latter in term time, and the length of the went under by 5 goals to 2. Chelses also

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sec.) The Chairman pointed out that two of the certificates were for 80 words per minute and one for 60 words per minute with transcription. It was hoped to hold another examination in June.

Lady Lugard, on presenting the certificates, was in turn presented with a silver trowel as a memento of the occasion, and then her Ladyship addressed a few appropriate words to those present.

The Boston correspondent of the "Central News" telegraphs that the wellknown Italian operatio singer, Florence contest. Constantine proposes that each shall stake \$10,000 and the judges shall be selected by mutual consent. Cariso has not yet replied to the challenge.

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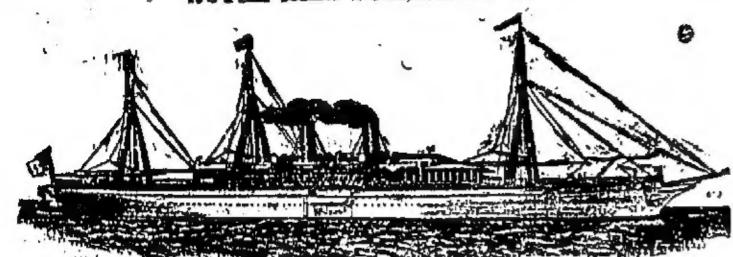
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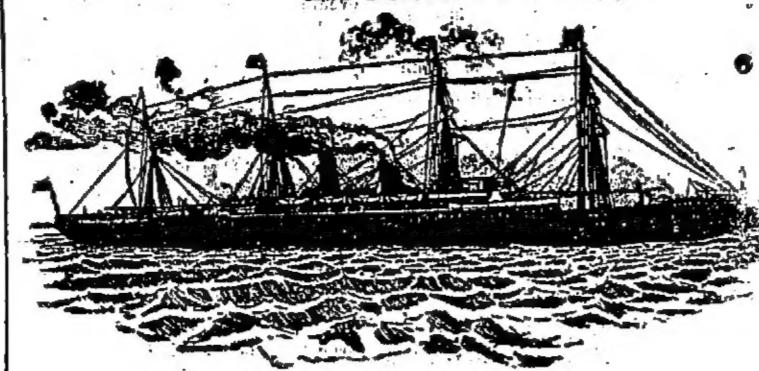
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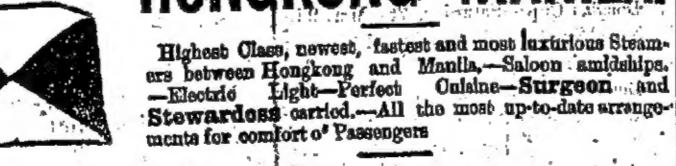
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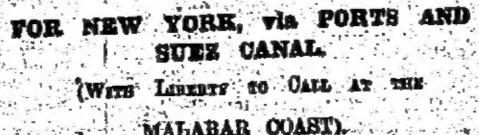
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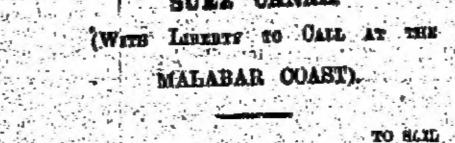
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Hongkong, February 24, 1908,

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

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Superintendent. Hongkong, February 21, 1908.

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NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM SAN FRANCISCO, HONOLULU JAPAN & MANILA

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Altechul and his brother, who was present at the time, denied having used an expression-he only said the inspector could go away; but the court preferred to believe THE Steamship Gregory Apear having ar- the telephone girl's story and sentenced rived from the above Ports, Consigness the defendant to five days' imprisonment. Notice of appeal was given.

the German War Office is conducting experiments with a new machine gun, which has been invented by a German named Schwarzlose, with a view to its introduction in the German Army instead of the Maxim. The "Schwarzlose" weighs 17 kilogrammes, as compared with the Maxim's 24 kilogrammes, and is thus more easily transported. The cost is £125, as com pared with £200 for the Maxim. There is, therefore, a saving of £75 on each gun. It consists, moreover, of 24 parts and one spring, as compared with the Maxim's 87

parts and 16 springs. The "Schwarzlose" has already been introduced in the Austro-Hungarian army with what are reported to be excellent results. France has six of them, and other European countries are experimenting, as Germany is, with a view to its speedy

Germany's first Dreadnought will be aunched on February 29 at Wilhelmshavn.

PROTECTING THE YANGTSE.

New Fortress Projected.

It is reported from Nanking that H. E. Cuan Fang, the Viceroy of the Liang Kinng, has been advised to construct a fortress in Haichishan, which is situated to the East of Chinking and about 30 li from the Hsiang Shan fortress. This suggestion has been approved by the Viceroy and military officers, and engineers Doves,-Pan Kan have been despatched there to make an Eggs, Hen-Kai Tan...

brole that operations will commence at

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Corrected to Thursday, February 20th, 1908. At 100 cents per Dollar Menican. Butcher Meat Beef sirlein & prime cut-Met Lung Corned-Ham Ngau Yok

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loose, Wild Sh'al, -S'he Yer Ngol. Musk Deer, -- Wong Keng Hare, Shanghal, -To Chal Partridge,-Che Kao Pheasant,—Shan Kal Pigeons, Canton,-Pak Kup Hollow,-Hol How Pak Kup. Quail, -Um-Chun

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Pomiret, Black, -Hak Ohon,

Pomiret, White, Pak Ohons

Bawes - Ming Ha ...

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Alterations and additions to Advertise. not later than Ham. New Advertisements | Ray -Pol Pa Sa should be sent to our Office at 8, Queen's Road Central before 8 p.m. THE OHINA MATE, LD.

Turbles, small, fresh water, White Balt,-Ngun Yo Chai Apples, (California)-Kam San Ping (Chefoo)-Tin Chun Ping Khor... Small,-Hoi Tong ... Custard, -Fan Lai Chi Bananas, fragrant, Canton, San Shing Benng Chiu Bananas, (brides), Macao-San Heung Chiu Chestnuts, Chinese,-Foong Lut ... Carambola, -Yeung Tuo ... Cocoanuts,-Yeh Taz.... Lemons, Jhina-Ning Moong America-Kum San Ning Moon ... Lichees Dried-Lai Chi Small Stone Fresh- .. times, (Saigon) Sai Kung Ning Moong. Mango, Manila-Lui Sung Mong Mangosteens, -San Chuk Tes

Balmon,-Ma Yau Yu

Shark, -- Sa Yq

Skate, -Po Yo

Shrimps,-Ha

Snapper,-Lap Yu

Soles, -Tat Sa Yu

Froits.

Tench,-Wan Yu

Oranges, (Canton)—San Shing Tim Chang. Oranges Sweet Pears, (American),-Kam San Shut Li (Canton), Cooking,-Sa Li Peanuta,-Fa Sang Persimmons Large,—Hung Chie Paw Law Plantains,-Tai Cheu Plums,-Swatow Hung Lai... Pumelo, Siam, -- Chim Le Yau Shanghai - Lo Kwat Walnuts,-Hop Tuo

Green,-Sang Hop Too ... Water Melon-(Am.) Kum San Sai Kwa ... Grape, -Sang Po Tai Tez

Vegetables, &c

Artichokes, Shanghal, Sheung Ohi Obeuk Beans, (French),

Best Root, -Bung Chor Tan Brinjals, Green, Ching Yuen Fea Red,-Hung Ker.

Cabbage, Chinese, com.-Kat Choy Cabbage Red .- Hung Yea Choy Cabbage, (Shanghai), -Yeh Chot Cane Shoots, bunch,-Kau Shun Cauliflower, Large size, -Tai Yek Chol-is Medium size, - Cheung Yeh Cho fa

海南级

Small size, Sai Yeh Choi Fa Carrots, Kam Shun Calery, Chinese; Tong Kan Cho. English,-Young .. Ohllies Dried, -Con List Chiu Red,-Hung Fa Green,-Ching Lat Chiu

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Horse Radish, S'hal-Lik Kan Indian Corn, -Sak Mai Lettuce, -Young Sang Chot Water Chesnuts,-Ma Tal ... Mandarin,-Kwei Lum Ma Tal. Mushrooms, Fresh-Sang Cho Rho Musk Melon-(Amr. Kan San Hong Kwa sac

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Green Peas, Ching Tau Potatoo, Sweet, -Fan Shu Shanghal, -Shenng Hal Shu Tsal ., Japan,-Yut Poor Shu Tsai American, Fa Ki Foothow, -Fuk Chan Shu Teal ,

Pumpkin,-Toong Kwa Radish, Hung Lo Pak Tsal Rhubarb (Fresh) Tai Wong Sage. - (Chi So Shalots,-Oon Chung Tau Spinsch,-Yin Cho

Tomatoes,-Fan Ker Taros,-We Tau Turnips, Punti, (Long),-Low Pak English, -Young bow Pak pleas Vegetable Marrow, - Chickwa

(Am.)-Kum|San Ohit Ewa Water Crosses,-Sal Yenng Chal Elly rook - Lin Ngon

The prices necessarily were from day to day and the hapitery Board ha! To power to compel stallholders to sell at the prices

3. A. WOODCOUR. Secretary, Businery Board.

ACENTS.

DATE OF LEAVING

EDUCATIONAL.

The majority of the schools have now opened, and in nearly all there is an increase in the number of students. The Anglo-Chinese College is quite up to its usual standard, although a large number of men left last term. Mi Pitcher's school has twenty or thirty new

WEATHER REPORT.

. The following notice is issued by Mr Figg of the Hongkong Observatory :-On the 26th at 11.55 a.—The barometer continues to fall over China. Pressure is highest over the Yellow Sea, and a depression is probably developing over the Yangtze valley. Fresh monsoon may be expected in the Formosa Channel and the N. part of the

China Sea. Hongkong Rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day, 0.00 inches. Forecast for the 24 hours ending at noon

FORECAST DISTRICT. 1.-Hongkong and Neighbourhood E. winds, frosh; fair. 2. - Formosa [Channel: N.E. 3. - South coast of China between Hong-

kong and Lamocks : Same as No. 2.

kong and Hainau : Same as No. 1.

To-day's Advertisements

4. South coast of China between Hong.

ONE BLACK LEATHER POCKET BOOK, containing Latters and Our Return to name enclosed to PELHAM HOUSE and receive reward Hongkoog, F. bruary 26, 1908.

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NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM SAN FRANCISCO, HONOLULU, JAPAN AND SHANGHAL

CONSIGNEES of CARGO per Steamship MONGOLIA. The above Steamer having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby notified to

signature, and to take immediate delivery For MANILA .from alongside. Cargo impeding discharge of the vessel will be landed at once, at Consignees' risk | For SHANGHAL and expense. Cargo remaining on board at 5 p.m.,

send in their Bills of Lading for counter-

SATURDAY, 29th February, 1908, will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and No Fire Insurance will be effected. All cargo undelivered by Noon, THURS-DAY, March 5th, 1908, will be subject

All chafed and otherwise damaged cargo will be examined at the above Company's Godowns on TUESDAY, March 3rd, at B. BILVERSTONE,

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

Hangkong, February 26, 1908.

THE Steamship Arratoon Apear having garrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods will be delivered from along-

Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel will be landed at once, at Consignees' risk and expense. Cargo remaining on board after 4 P.M., of the 27th instant, will be landed at Consignees' risk and expense.

Consignees of Cargo from Singa-PORE are requested to take IMMEDIATE (Supplementary Mail on board up to the Celivery of their Goods from alongside; such Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

No Fire Insurance will be effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the undersigned. DAVID SASSOON & Co., LD.,

Hongkong, February 26, 1908. BARBER' LINE OF STEAMERS.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE STEAMSHIP SATSUMA. FROM NEW YORK AND STRAITS.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being. landed at their risk into the Godowns, of the Hongkono and Kowloon Whan and Godown Co., Ltd., at Kowlook, whence and/or from the Wharves delivery may be

obtained. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 4th prox., will be subject to rent. All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before

the Slet prox., or they will not be re-All Broken, Chafed, and Damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 4th prox., at 3 P. M.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned DODWELL & CO., LIMITED. Hongkong February 28, 1908.

Itching, Bleeding Humour Spread Over Child's Limbs-Different Ointments Brought No Relief-Grew Steadily Worse - Could Not Go to School for Two Months.

AWFUL DISEASE WAS **CURED BY CUTICURA**

"About December of last year, my little girl, age five years, had red, itching places under her knees, right in the bend of the legs, which we thought was chaps caused by the frost. The disease spread up both legs and then into her arms. They used to irritate and bleed. We had to keep her away from school two months. We then took her to a doctor who said it was a bad case of eczema. He gave me different sorts of cintments and lint to bind them up with but it did no good and it kept getting worse. I read of and it kept getting worse. I read of the wonderful Cuticura Remedics and thought I would like to give them t trial, which I am pleased to think I did.
I sent for the Cuticura Scap, Cuticura
Cintment, and Cuticura Pills, and after using them the second or third time, they gave her great relief, and after using the complete set, she seemed completely cured, I am thankful to say, and I shall recommend the Cuticura Remedies to all I know suffering from such an awful disease as my girl did for five months. Arthur Gentry, Clacton Road, St. Osyth, Essex, July 7, 1907."

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Mails will close:— For QUANG-CHOW-WAN HOLHOW. PAKHOI & HAIPHONG.— Per Hongkong, at 9 a.m., on Thursday,

the 27th Feb.

For Dericent, at 1 p.m., on Thursday, the 27th Feb. For MAUAO. -Per Sui Tai, at 1.15 p.m., on Thursday,

the 27th Feb. FOR SHANGHAI & CHINKIANG .-

the 27th Feb. For SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW. Par Haiching, at 9 s.m., on Friday, the 28th Feb. FORSHANGHAI, YOKOHAMA, KOBE &

MOJI.— Per Arrateon Apear, at 2 p.m., on Friday, the 28th Feb. For SINGAPORE, PENANG & CAL-OUTTA.-

Per Laisang, at 2°p.m., on Friday, the

25th Feb. Per Loongsang, at 3 p.m., on Friday, the 28th Reb.

Per Yochote, at 3 p.m., on Friday, the 28th Feb. For MOJI, ROBE, OKOHAMA, VIC-TORIA & TAL. MA .-

Per Shumut, at 10 a.m., on Saturday,

the 29th Feb. For MANILA. Per Rubi, at 10 a.m., on Saturday, the 29th Feb. PORT DARWIN, THURSDAY IS-LAND, COOKTOWN, CAIRNS, TO WISVILLE, BRISBANE, SYD. NEY, HOBART, LAUNCESTON

NEW ZEALAND, MELBOURNE ADELAIDE, PERTH & FREE MANTLE -Per Eastern, at 10 a.m., on Saturday, the 29th Feb. MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET.

The United States Mail Packet Asia will be despatched on SATURDAY. the 29th Feb., with Mails for Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, San Francisco. United States, Canada, Pern, &c. which will be algoed at follows: Printed Matter and Samples at 10 a.m. Registration at 10 a.m. Registration, with late fee of 10 cente,

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Hongkong, February 26, 1908,

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SHIPPING

ARRIVALS. February 25. Pakling, British str., 2,995, G. Rodway,

Liverpool and Singapore Feb. 19, General BUTTERFIELD & SWIES. Satsuma, Brirish str., 2,630, Armstrong, New York December 24, 1907, General.-DODWELL & Co., LAD.

Childar, Norwegian steamer, 1,102, H. Nielsjen, Bangkok February 17, General. -BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

February 26. Arratoon Apcar, British str., 2,931, A. Stewart, Calcutta and Singapore Feb. 20, General, -David Sassoon & Co., LD. Haiching, British ateamer, 1,267, A. E.

Hodgins, Foochow, via Amov and Swatow Feb. 25, General. - DOUGLAP STEAMBHIP Co. Kleist, German str., 5,122, R. Meyer, Yokohama February 17, and Shanghai 23, Mails and General. - MELCHERS & Co.

Kwang Tah, Chinese str., 1,538, Wm. H. Lunt, Shanghai Feb. 23, General .-O. M. S. N. Co. Daijin Maru, Japanese steamer, 889, Sakurai, Tamsui, via Amoy and Swatow

Feb. 25, General .- O. 8. K. Rajaburi, German steamer, 1,189, Bremer, Bangkok Feb. 17, Rice -BUTTER-

FIELD & SWIBE. Nissin Maru, Japanese str., 1,957. 6. Shirakawa, Saigon February 20, Rice .-

FURUSEI & Co. Lydia, German str., 1,771, C. Meyer, Hongay Feb. 23, Coal.-H. A. L. Kowloon, German str., 1,478, A. Enigk, Chickiang February 22, Groundnuts .-HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE.

Hupeh, British steamer, 1.205. Spink, Haiphung and Hoihow Feb. 24, General. -BUTTERVIELD & SWIRE. Helward, Norwegian steamer, 1,076,

t. Ranneherg, Dalny February 21, Beans. · Onder. Yunnan, British str., from Canton.

DEPARTURES. February 20. Florer, British cruiser, for Shanghai. Wilmington, U.S. gunboat, for Manila,

Fobruary 26. Amara, for Tsingtiv. Chipshing, for Tiputain. Kagoshima Mara, for Singapore and Bom-Monmouthshire, for Shanghai.

Singan, for Haiphong. Rhenania, for Singapore and Hamburg-Yochow, for Canton. Kwongsang, for Swatow. Lydia, for Uniton. Tikini, for Yokohama. Tjipanas, for Moji. Kaifono, for Cabu. Kleist, for Europe, &c.

Leipzig, German cruiser, for Amoy, Silvia, German transport, for Tsingtau. CLEARED. Kwangiah, for Canton. Signal, for Swatow.

Lennox, for Saigon.

Pakling, for Shanghai.

Yunnan, for Shangbai.

PASSENGERS: Per Arratoon Apour, from Calcutta, &c., Mr A. B. Aitken, Mr and Mrs W. M. Per Yunnan, at 2 p.m., on Thursday, Miller, Messrs L. Thompson, Grossick, J. N. Bevis, O. H. Brunner, Mr and Mrs

> Per Haiching, from Coast Ports, Mr and Mrs Husson, Miss May Palmer, Mr Henry Humphreys, Mr R. W. Shaw, Misses Philips, Thorn, Johnsford, Mr C. Whitfield, Master J. and Frank Whitfield, Dr Paton, Mr Manners, and 439 Chinese. Per Kleist, for Hongkong : from Yoko-

Blanchard, Mr Henry Bode, and 914

hama, Mr and Mrs G. Thouroude, Mrs Young and child: from Kobe, Messre A. Tskeds, S. Hamads, L. Fukunaga, T. Nichimura, W. Samamoso and S. Ando; from Shanghai, Mrs A. Diniz, Major F. A. Macfarlan, Miss Grace Martin, Mesers J Wilson, Herbert Perser, E. Guttantag, J. H. d Ameida, Jogenohl, R. B. Levien, J. B Desborough, and Becker. Per Kwangtah. from Shanghai, Mrs

Chandler, Mr and Mr. Bell and child. Milago and Fearley.

CHARTERS.

Mr George Grimble's list of reported fixtures for to-day contains the following. S.S. Lennox, Saigon/Hongkong, 48,000/-50,000 piculs, at 14 conts per picul S.S. Taishan, Saigon/Hongkong, 30,000/-32,000 piculs at 15 cents per picul. S.S. Solstad, Saigon/Hongkong, 30,000 piculs, at 161 cents per picul.

AT THE WHARVES. The German mail steamer Kleist moored at Kowleon wharf No 3 this morning, and left again this afternoon, homeward

The Barbor line stoamer Satsuma berthed t No 3 wharf Kowloon to-day.

The Benmohr, due to-day, will berth at No 2 wharf on arrival. GENERAL.

On the Yangtze above Woosung there are 60 river lights. The British steamer Pak Hing from Singapore brought 700 Chinese passengers The Kwongtan from Shanghai hat moderate monsoon, with high sea, through

out the voyage. -

On her voyage from Singapore the Pak Ling encountered a strong monsoon and high sea throughout The German mail steamer Kleist arrived

from the North this morning, having a large number of passongers. The Arratoon Apear (Captain Stewart from Singapore brought 914 Asiaties and a

number of European passengers. On her voyage from Singapore the Arratoon Apear met a strong N. E. Monsoon and heavy seas.

from coast ports, arrived this morning with 439 Chinese, and a full complement of European passengers.

river lights. On the West River and its pended upon. For sale by all chemists and Mr F. T. Chapple approaches there are three river lights, | storekeepers.

On the coast of China there are 116 lighthouses, five lightships, 24 light-boats, 137 light buoys, 110 beacons—totalling 392 aids to navigation in Chinese waters.

Captain Armstrong of the British steamer Satsuma arrived from New York yesterday evening. In the China Sea sh encountered a very strong monsoon and heavy seas. On the 20th instant the waves were particularly high, one huge comber coming aboard and breaking in the fore peak hatch.

STEAMERS PARSED SUEZ CANAL SUPPLIED BY REUTER]. Jan. 7, Agamemnon, Senegambia, Mr E. Bornand Tunnan Jan. 21, Patrochus. Jan. 28, Myrmidon.

Sikh, Andree Rickmers. February 4, Glenturvet, Peleus. Persia, |-Mr F. G. Brown February 7. Idomeneus, Inaba Maru, Feb. 11, Benarty, Memnon Feb. 14, Ceylon Maru, Stantor, Jason,

Nile. Slaventzitz.

Vobruary 18, Benvenue, Hudson, Suevia, Pera, Et Nicholas, Korner, Helens Rick- Mrs Chandler Feb. 21, Aragonia, Albengo, Glenavon, Erzherzog Franz Ferdinand, Indrawadi. Hakata Maru, Mourine, Prometheus, Tourane, Zieten.

February 25, Ceylon Maru, Athall Brzherzog Franz Ferdinand, Memnon.

STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

The Imp, German Mail s.s. Prinz Ludwig carrying the German Mails with dates from Berlin of the 4th Fobruary, left Colombo on the 21st February, and Mr Etzel may be expected here on or about the 2nd March, p.m.

Imp. German Mail s.s. Manila Mr H. G. Fisher left Sydney on Tuesday, the 11th Mr S. Fletcher February, p.m., and may be expected Mr C. B. Franklin here on or about the 4th March. The C. P. R. Co.'s ss. Monteagle left Mr Denman Fuller Yokohama on Saturday, the 8th Feb., p.m., for Victoria and Vancouver. The C. P. R. Co.'s s.s. Empress of India Mr B. Giberza left Vancouver on Tuesday, the 18th Mr Adam Gibson

February, p.m. for Hongkong, via Mr J. Ginnell the usual Ports of Call. Mr O. Gorrell The U. P. R. Co.'s s.s. Empress of Japan left Yokohama on Thursday, the 20th February, p.m., for Victoria and Van-

The P. M. S. S. Mongolia will be due to arrive at this port at 8 a.m. on Mr J. L. Harrison Mr G. G. Wood Thursday, the 27th February, from Hon. Mr & Mrs E, A. Mr J. D. Woods San Francisco via Honolulu, Japan

ports and Shanghai. Respected. The H. A. L. s.s. Sambia left Singapore Mr F. Austin on the 20th February, at 2 p.m., and Con. & Mrs Bre ceia H. Logan may be expected here on or about the Mr Clarke 27th Feb., at noon.

lombo on Friday, the 15th February, Lt. and Mrs B. E.Mr R. Marten a.m., and may be expected here on or | Coke . about Friday, the 28th February. The Mogul steamer Pathan left Singapore | Col. Darling on the 21st February, and should Mr and Mrs Dowley Mr S. D. Monk arrive here on or about 28th Feb. The Barber Line s.s. Sikh left Singapore

the 29th February. -Kerr, Mr and Mrs G. F. Hichson, Dr The N. Y. K. s.s. Kawachi Maru (Euro- Mr S. H. Galbraith - Major R. J. Ross Moji and Shanghai on the 22nd Feb., Mr H. H. J. Gom-Mrs Sawer and is expected here on the 2nd March. The P. & A. s.s. Arabia sailed from Mr L. S. Greenhill Mr & Mrs Shortridge Astoria on Wednesday, January 29th, Miss Hall and is due to arrive in Hongkong on Mr J. Hall Tuesday, March 3rd.

The P. & O. S N. Co.'s S.E. Palma left Mies Hardy Singapore for this port on the 22nd - February, at 11.30 a.m. The Ben Line str. Benmohr from Antwerp Mr E. E. Hill and London, left Singapore on the Mr W. T. Hockaday ' Stewart 18th February for this port. The Ind ... China S. N. Co. 's a.s. Fooksang left Calcutta for this port via The Mr H. U. Jeffries Straits on 22nd February, and may be Col. Kent expected here on or about 9th March. Mr King

apore for this port on the 24th Feb., Miss Lord at 10.30 a.m. For Hupeh, from Haiphong, &c., Messrs The P. & A. S. S. Co.'s s.s. Nicomedia Mr Liofts eailed from Astoria on the 12th Feb., and will be due to arrive at this port about March 17th.

The Boston S. S. Co.'s a.s. Tremont ar rived at Yokohamaon the 18th Feb. The Mogul Line steamer Chazee left McP. F. Binje Liverpool on the 16th February. The T. K. K. chartered steamer Katherine Mr Harry Bramley Mire Peel and family - Park which left hence December Mr W. Buck 30th, 1907, for Callao via Japan Ports Mr H. F. Campbell Dr Riemer tion on the 23rd February.

Latest Advices. E. & A. str. Aldenham from Mr P. Dow Sydney, &c., left Manila on the Dr C. P. Felves

25th February, at 3 p.m. for this port. Mrs G. French The M. M. Co.'s str. Polynesien with the Mr Erich Georg FRENCH MAIL of the 31st January Mr A. S. Giassick and the supplementary mail of the Mr F.-H. Gost a.m. and may be expected Jorge here on or about Monday, the 2nd Mrs G. J. Harman & Miss Souza March, This packet brings replies to the 28th December.

The N. Y. K. s.a. Takasaki Maru (Bomhereon the 1st March. The s.s. O. Apear from Calcutta, left Mr G. T. Lloyd Singapore on the afternoon of 26th; February, and may be expected here Mr J. H. Mody on or about the 3rd March.

VESSELS AT THE DOCKS. At Kowloon .- Neil McCleod, Persis, Mr Abins Sorsogon, Oyklop, Germania, Oscar II, Mr Bolden Eutip, H.M.S. Kent, Rubi, Johanne,

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tion is a germ disease. It is not Mr R. Herzog caused by a cold but as a rule starts with a Mr and Mrs Hewett cold. The cold prepares the system for the steemer Haiching (Capt. Hodgins) of that disease which otherwise would not have found lodgement. Give every cold Mr. H. Arnold you take the attention it deserves and you Mr F. Arnold will be much less liable to contract on Mr J. W. Baint sumption. This is especially true when Cap'. N. Baltzer you associate with any one who has that Mr Bischoff In the approaches to Canton, above disease. To cure a cold use Chamberlain's Mr W. B. Boyce Wangmoon entrance light, there are 23 Cough Remedy. It can always be de- Mr H. A. Cartwri

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Comdr. & Mrs E. H.Con. and Mrs Perier Mr & Mre T. Petrie on 23rd February, and may be ex- Mis Ellis Mr and Mrs Poigat pected to arrive here on Saturday next, Mr R. Fischer It. Col. & Mrs Riach puan Line) left Robe for this port via Mr F. J. Gelsthorpe Mr R. F. G. Särgent Mr G. W. Sayer

and 2 grildren Mr A. Sipolair Mr A. Findley Smith Mr Hancock Mr and Mrs Somerset Plaype Mr & Mrs Seibeth Mr P. Hell Mr and Mrs A. H. Capt and Mrs K. D.Mr Stopani Capt. A. H. Synnot Mrs Wakefield Mr Wallace Mr S. P. Warbrook The P. &O. Co.'s s.s. Borneo left Sing- Col. &Mrs W. Lambert Mr and Mrs Watkins Mr.A. P. Wilder Major W. B. Lander Men Williamson

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Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour.

EXCLUSIVE OF LATE ABRIVALS AND DEPARTURES REPORTED TO-DAY.

To facilitate finding the position of any vessel in the Harbour, the Anchorage is divided into eleven Sections, commencing from Green Island. Vessels near the Hongkong shore are marked h., near the Kowloon shore k., and those in the body of the Shipping of midway between each shore are marked c., in conjunction with the figures denoting the sections.

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- 1. From Green Island to the Gas. Works.
 2. From Gas Works to Jardine's Whart.
- 3. From Jardine's Wharf to the Harbour s Office.
- From Harbour Master's to the Market. 6. From The Market to Peddar's Wharf. 6. From Peddar's Wharf to the Naval Yard.
- 7. From Naval Yard to Blue Building.
 8. From Blue Buildings to East Point.
 9. From Kellet's Island to North Point.
- 10. Kowloon Wharves. 11. Jardine's Wharf.

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Laisang	4 c	Tadd	French str.	3460	Feb. 1	8 Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Straits & Calcutta	Feb. 29.
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Liangchow	3 C	Harder	British str.	1201	Feb. 2	7 Butterfield & Swire	*	
Loosok	3 c	Schultzen	der. str.	1430	FOD. Z	Butterfield & Swire		
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Lydia	B C	Cabrolan	Wer. Bur.	1104	Fob O	o Siemssen & Co.		
Mandal	5 6	Gabrusen	foren str.	4451	Tob 9	O Wallem & Co.		
Mandasan Maru	3 6	Christianson	Jupan, str.	1167	Feb. 15	China Commondal C C Co	Tonon & Calina Class	
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Proteus	3 cl	Moller	Norw. str.	1024	Feb 28	Butterfield & Swire		
Rajaburt	3 c	Bromer	der. str.	1085	Feb. 26	Butterfield & Swire	Hoihow & Bangkok	March 1
Rubi	o cla	Almond	British str.	1611	Feb. 24	Shewan, Tomes & Co.		Feb. 29.
Boxta	S of	Desler	Jer. Btr.	951	Feb. 21	Siemssen & Co.		
"Chammert	t cl	Roberts	amer. str.	6192	Feb. 20	Dodwell & Co., Ld.	Tacoma, &c.	Feb. 29.
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Yochow	10	Northcombe	British str.	1309	Feb. 21	Butterfield & Swire	Shanghai	Feb. 29.